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1. Two hundred Chinese Communist troops equipped with two 57-mm. guns from Haimen were on Yanghsu (N 28-08, E 121-24) and 200 Chinese Communist troops equipped with a gun were on Talushan (N 28-06, E 121-24).

2. Sixty Chinese Communist motor junks were at Kanmen (N 28-06, E 121-16).

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3. At 2300 hours Chinese Communist troops from three warships and 21 motor junks captured Peichishan (N 27-28, E 121-22).

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4. The Chinese Communists were planning an attack on Nanchishan (N 27-28, E 121-04) from Tungt'oushan (N 27-50, E 121-08) at 0300 hours on 13 June. At that time signal fires were to be lit at Tuiao (1417/8315) which is on the mainland-side of Nanchishan. Three fires were to be lit in an area where no Nationalist troops were located.
5. Chinese Communists were investigating the strength of Chinese Nationalist troops on Nanchishan and Menshu.

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6. At 0737 hours two Chinese Communist warships from Chaitou (N 28-08, E 121-22) fired 86 rounds of 105-mm. shells at P'ishan (N 28-06, E 121-30).
7. At 0800 hours a large concentration of Chinese Communist junks at Talushan were moving toward P'ishan.
8. From 2000 hours on 2 June to 0300 hours on 3 June, Chinese Communists on Chaitou and Yanghsu fired 20 rounds of shells on P'ishan. There were no Chinese Nationalist casualties.
9. At 2000 hours a Chinese Nationalist PGM shelled Talushan.

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10. The Chinese Air Force (CAF) station on P'ishan radioed the CAF in Taipei that 100 Chinese Communist vessels were at Shihtang (N 28-16, E 121-36).
11. Part of the Chinese Nationalist Navy and part of the guerrilla garrison evacuated P'ishan.

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12. The CAF reconnaissance along the Chekiang coast revealed the following:
 - a. At 0940 hours a 6,000-ton Czech cargo ship, with two stacks, white deck and gray sides, was 34 miles east of Taishan (N 26-58, E 120-38) and heading southwest.
 - b. At 1000 hours there was no activity at Yuhuan (N 28-08, E 121-14), Talushan, and P'ishan.
 - c. A second search of the Talushan area revealed no activity.
 - d. There was no activity in the Shihtang area.

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